

# Who's Your Tailor?

## Construction Work of Santa Fe Is Started

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ry out plans to establish along the northern boundary of the city a permanent camp such as they have established in other portions of the state, where buildings to house men and tools, and where offices will be maintained during the construction period, will be erected.

An effort on the part of the business men of Torrance to divert a portion or the whole of the trade from this source to this city, is to be made and the Business Men's association will appeal to the telephone company to install lines from the camp to Torrance that orders for supplies may be quickly given Torrance merchants, and the merchandise ordered for the use of the several hundred men employed by the road delivered.

The tentative roadbed enters the city at the northern end of Madrid avenue, runs south parallel with the latter to and across Carson, and thence in a southeasterly direction parallel with Plaza Del Amo and 200 feet west of that thoroughfare to Arlington, which it crosses near Lincoln, and extends thence in a southeasterly direction to Ocean boulevard.

—\$1 Day, Sat. Jan. 13—

A get-acquainted social will be held Friday evening, January 12, at the Central Evangelical church. You are invited.

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## ED. V. PRICE & COMPANY have arranged for a Showing of THEIR ENTIRE LINE OF WOOL-ENS—at the Store Where "DUFFYHASIT"—If It's Right REDONDO BEACH

## New City Hall and Fire House Bids Let

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Mr. Gadeky of the chamber of commerce stated that he had been unfortunate in getting prices and data for the tentative playground in El Prado; that all he had received so far was a price of 62 1/2 cents per rod for 40-inch fence and 72 cents per rod for 64-inch. He was referred to the Los Angeles Fence company.

At the adjourned meeting of the council held January 5, the contract for the building of the combined city hall and fire station on Lots 20, 21, and 22 in Bolck 15 at the corner of Cravens and El Prado, was let to the Brewer Construction company for the sum of \$6,915. This bid was for the construction of the building, and does not include either the wiring or plumbing.

Work on the structure will begin immediately, and when finished it will be one of the most complete in this section of the state. Many of the features were suggested by City Engineer Jessup, whose experience along this line gained in Berkeley was of the utmost value to the city council in determining the various features for the convenience of those occupying offices in the building.

The engine room with the jail will be housed in a brick building 14x29, and will include an office for the fire department officials. The jail will contain three steel cells, and will be 21x16 in size. There will be four living quarters above the police department, shower baths and lavatories, and suitable quarters for women prisoners. The cost completed will be approximately \$8,000.

Bids for the construction of the city jail and fire department were received, as follows: Brewer Construction company of Los Angeles, \$6,915; W. L. Reeve, Torrance, \$8,248; Herbert Black, Torrance, \$8,124.

To assist City Attorney Briney of Torrance in conducting the litigation between the city, the Dominguez Land corporation, and the California Chemical company, relative to the so-called Sewer Farm in the southern extremity of the city, the city council decided to employ the services of City Attorney J. H. Howard of Pasadena. The latter is to be paid a fee of \$250 immediately and a further fee of \$50 for every day he is compelled to appear in court during the coming trial.

The salary of City Marshal Anderson was increased from \$150 to \$185 per month.

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## Buys Mangum Site And Will Build

Associating himself with his father, W. C. Dolley, in the purchase of the R. W. Mangum lot next to the new Masonic Temple, Harry H. Dolley said yesterday that the building plans of Mr. Mangum would be carried out, and that construction would begin immediately.

The lot in question, one of the most slightly in that section of the city, was bought some time ago by Mr. Mangum, and a foundation for a one-story brick structure laid. Later the building plans were abandoned, and the lot put on sale. Several offers were made Mangum, who finally accepted that of the Dolley's and the deal was concluded Tuesday last. Mr. Dolley says that he will lease the store, and already has several prospective tenants.

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## CONTRACTORS BUILD HOMES

Stoner & Banbridge, building contractors, have made arrangement for the erection of several residences along Plaza Del Amo, and will have one of a number completed within the next ten days or two weeks.

The homes are to be sold on liberal terms, according to a statement made yesterday to Secretary Gadeky, of the chamber of commerce, who says the bungalows will cost in the neighborhood of thirty-five hundred dollars. As soon as the first is finished others will be started and rushed to completion to supply in a measure the dearth of homes in Torrance.

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## Santa Maria Oil Co. Outbids Hub Oil Co.

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arations made at once to put up the rig. The men in charge expect to be ready to start drilling within two weeks. The Hub officials said that they would not have given up their lease if they had had the facilities to drill within the time limit.

With their Signal Hill operations and preparations to drill on the lease adjoining Dr. Leake's property, they declared they had their hands full.

The rigs for the Chanslor-Canfield Midway Oil company's Torrance No. 4 and No. 5, the Hub's No. 8, and Eden's No. 1 were virtually completed this week and preparations were being made to install machinery. The first three wells lie along Carson street, and bring the total in that group up to eight. The Bartholomae well will offset Hub No. 8, and the Signal Hill is putting in the foundation for Torrance Community No. 3, which will offset Torrance No. 4. This will add two more wells to the Carson street group, and it is understood that the Chanslor-Canfield Midway company has staked the location for Del Amo No. 4, across the road from Torrance No. 2.

It is apparent that the drilling along Carson street has just begun, and that the knoll between the Standard Oil lease and Cedar street will look like a second edition of Signal Hill when operations are begun on the small leases in that locality. The leases are so located that a well on one virtually compels an offset on adjoining leases, and now that the race for the oil has been started there will be no way to stop it. The Hub company has announced its intention of drill four wells, and more wells as fast as the tools being used in Signal Hill wells are released. The first of the big producers is expected to be struck in this new section.

There is, perhaps, nothing that has stimulated the imagination of Torrance residents as to the possibilities of the oil field as the sight of the derrick of the Eden's well at the corner of Western avenue and 213th street. The work on the rig was only started last Thursday. Drilling machinery according to R. W. Edens, head of the Orange County Drilling company, which has acquired 106-acre lease in the vicinity of the well, will be installed immediately, and the well completed as fast as possible. If a gusher sand is tapped Torrance will at once take its place among the big fields of the state.

The sight of the new derrick stimulated activity in the land east of the industrial belt and prices automatically went higher. The Dominguez Land corporation boosted the price of the lots in the 137-acre Standard Oil lease 25 per cent, and another and bigger boost in price can be expected if the Eden's well hits the pay sand.

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Table Size 5c; Shaker and Cooking	10c
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SWANSDOWN CAKE FLOUR, Large	34c
Flag Lima Beans, per can	35c
Flag Refugee String Beans, per can	35c
Flag Succotash, per can	20c
Flag Rosebud Beets, per can	25c
Heart's Delight Corn, 2 cans	35c
Garden Kind Corn, per can	15c
Waterloo Country Gentleman, 2 cans	35c
Paris Maine Corn, per can	35c
Golden Bantam Corn, 2 cans	35c
LOG CABIN SYRUP	
Small	25c
Medium	50c
Large	1.00
BROOMS	
No. 3	.75
No. 2	.90
No. 1 (Special)	1.10
FLOUR	
A-1	1.12; 1/4, 1.10; 1/2, 1.08
Seelig's	1.10; 1/4, 1.08; 1/2, 1.06
Gold Medal	1.12; 1/4, 1.10; 1/2, 1.08
PEAS	
Webber Valley, per can	35c
Evergreen, 2 cans	35c
Spring Garden, per can	25c

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